

NOTE: This order is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals  
for the Federal Circuit**

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**COVIDIEN SALES LLC AND COVIDIEN LP, FKA  
TYCO HEALTHCARE GROUP LP AND FKA UNITED  
STATES SURGICAL CORPORATION,**  
*Plaintiffs-Appellees,*

**v.**

**ETHICON ENDO-SURGERY, INC.,**  
*Defendant-Appellant.*

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2015-1074, -1076

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Appeals from the United States District Court for the  
District of Connecticut in No. 3:14-cv-00917-JCH, Judge  
Janet C. Hall.

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**ON MOTION**

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PER CURIAM.

**O R D E R**

Ethicon Endo-Surgery, Inc. moves for a stay pending  
this appeal of the preliminary injunction issued by the  
United States District Court for the District of Connecti-  
cut. Ethicon also moves for an interim stay pending this

court's ruling on the motion for stay and for an expedited briefing schedule.

Upon consideration thereof,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) Covidien Sales LLC and Covidien LP's response to the motion for stay pending appeal is due no later than seven days after the date of filing of this order. Ethicon's reply is due within three days of the date of filing of the response.

(2) The motion for an interim stay is granted. The preliminary injunction is stayed pending this court's ruling on the motion for a stay pending appeal.

FOR THE COURT

/s/ Daniel E. O'Toole  
Daniel E. O'Toole  
Clerk of Court